

Grazing Management (CSP Enhancements) Colorado Enhancement Activity Job Sheet G-6

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Utilize grazing exclusion cages to aid in grazing plan development

Payment = \$1.00 for each acre where an exclusion cage is used as part of the decision making process in modifying the grazing management plan.

Use exclusion cages prohibit the grazing of the forages enclosed by livestock to provide a baseline of information on realistic production and pasture improvement. This information can then be used to make science based grazing management decisions to protect the forage and soil resources.

Documentation Required: Use the following table for documentation and attach a plan map showing the location of management units involved in the decision support tool use. An example is provided to assist you.

Mgmt. Unit or Pasture	Ecological Site Description	Key Species	Cage Dimensions L x W	Year Established
Field 9 Exam	De Loamy	Blue grama	50' × 20'	2002
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Utilize Decision Support Tools to Aid in Grazing Plan Development Certification

I certify that I am using the exclusion cage(s) to assist in grazing management decisions for the field(s) and Ecological Site Descriptions listed in the table above.

Name:	Date: